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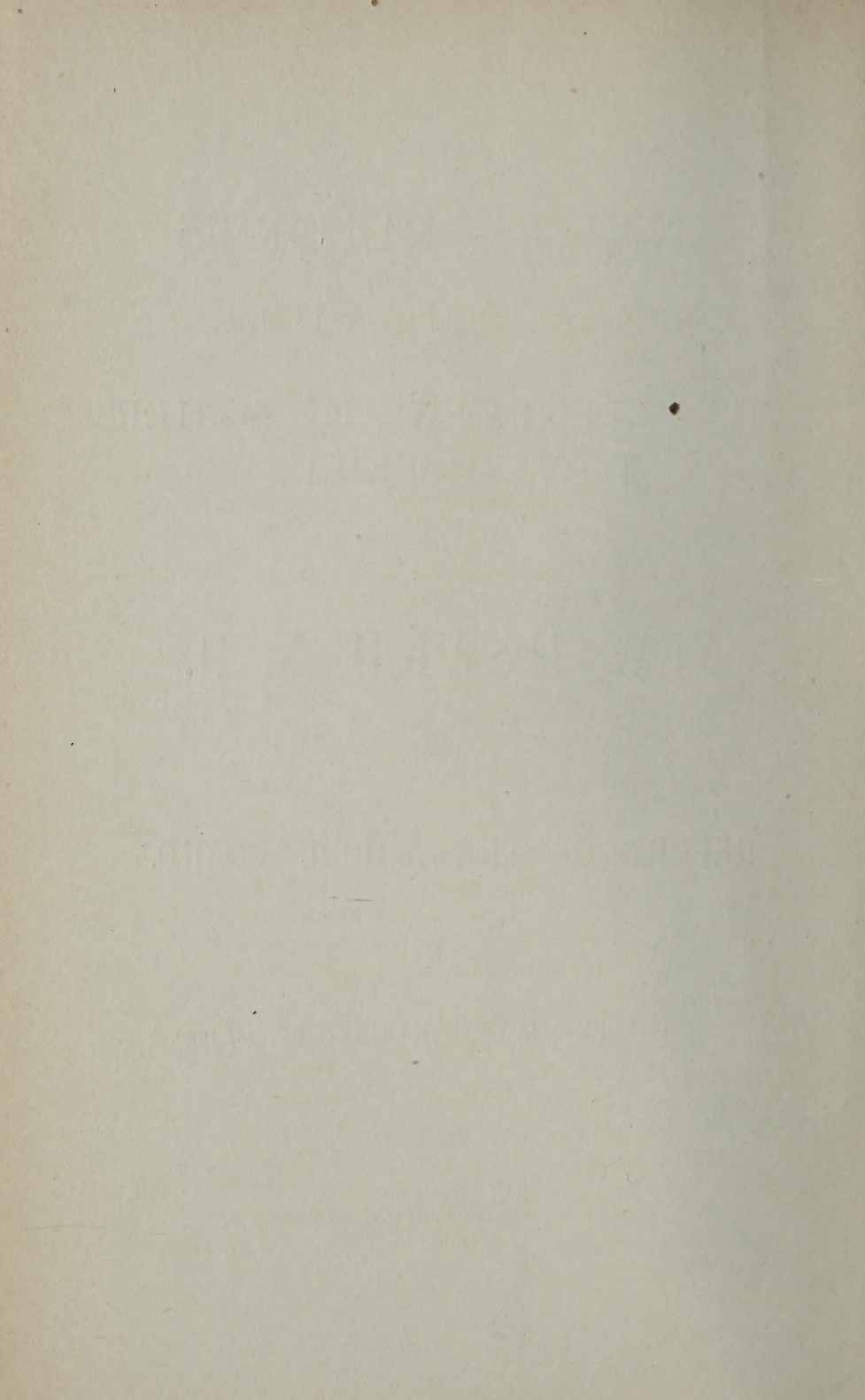
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REPORT OF TREASURER.

NEW IPSWICH, N. H., February 15, 1900.

WILBUR L. PHELPS, Treasurer, in account with the TOWN
OF NEW IPSWICH.

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To cash on hand at commencement of year,	\$1,823.37
“ received from collector for 1898,	275.00
“ “ “ “ “ 1899,	7,029.97
“ “ “ County for paupers,	608.83
“ “ “ dog licenses,	131.85
“ “ “ savings bank tax,	543.64
“ “ “ literary fund,	98.61
“ “ “ railroad tax,	7.86
“ “ “ Charles L. Russell,	700.00
“ “ “ use of town hall,	2.00
“ “ “ peddler's license,	5.00
“ “ “ Townsend National Bank, for interest on money deposited,	27.54
“ “ “ W. N. Thompson, collector, in- terest on non-resident tax,	1.12
	<hr/> \$11,254.79

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By paying State tax,	\$947.75
“ “ County tax,	1,233.15
“ “ town orders,	8,098.04
“ Cash on hand,	975.85
	<hr/> \$11,254.79

WILBUR L. PHELPS,

Treasurer.

REPORT OF SELECTMEN.

AMOUNT OF POLLS AND PROPERTY TAXED.

Number of polls,	227;	value, \$22,700.00
“ horses,	251;	“ 12,564.00
“ oxen,	10;	“ 350.00
“ cows,	355;	“ 9,964.00
“ neat stock,	53;	“ 784.00
“ sheep,	1;	“ 4.00
“ fowls,	1,580;	“ 632.00
“ carriages,	8;	“ 634.00
Money,		900.00
Stocks in trade,		6,550.00
Mills and machinery,		99,800.00
Land and buildings,		335,740.00
		<hr/> \$490,622.00

APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1899.

Highways,	\$1,500.00
Schools,	1,500.00
Incidentals,	1,500.00
Library,	100.00
Decoration Day,	75.00
School house,	400.00
State tax,	947.75
County tax,	1,233.15
Excess,	103.43
	<hr/> \$7,359.33
Amount committed to collector,	\$7,359.33
Rate per cent. on \$1,000, \$15.00.	

TOWN EXPENDITURES.

BREAKING ROADS.

C. F. Russell,	\$478.09
A. C. Wheeler,	281.35
F. W. Prichard,	418.69
	<hr/> \$1,178.13

REPAIRING ROADS.

C. F. Russell,	\$502.06
W. S. Thayer,	458.51
F. W. Prichard,	479.89
Selectmen,	74.50
J. E. Taylor,	18.82
	<hr/> \$1,533.78

INSURANCE.

F. W. Preston,	\$76.75
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STREET LAMPS.

F. H. Whittemore, lighting,	\$12.00
Frank E. Hardy, lighting,	34.20
E. F. Blanchard, lighting,	6.00
G. H. Hardy, lighting,	67.50
J. H. Moore, supplies and lighting,	45.69
W. L. Phelps, repairs and supplies,	55.04
E. F. Blanchard, repairs,	7.30
	<hr/> \$227.73

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Paying firemen,	\$384.08	
Repairs and supplies,	19.04	
	<hr/>	\$403.12

WATERING TUBS.

Alfred Taylor,	\$3.00	
F. F. Reed,	3.00	
E. F. Blanchard,	3.00	
J. Silver, Jr.,	3.00	
	<hr/>	\$12.00

MINISTERIAL FUND INTEREST.

Charles Taylor,	\$39.45	
J. E. Taylor,	39.45	
	<hr/>	\$78.90

REPORTING BIRTHS AND DEATHS.

Dr. B. D. Pease,	\$3.00	
Dr. Charles Charest,	4.50	
Dr. F. W. Jones,	3.50	
	<hr/>	\$11.00

RECORDING BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

W. L. Phelps,	\$11.15
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PRINTING AND STATIONERY.

Sentinel Printing Co., printing reports,	\$39.90	
Record book, births, marriages and deaths,	12.00	
Tax books,	1.52	
Stationery and postage,	1.50	
	<hr/>	\$54.92

COLLECTION OF TAXES.

F. W. Prichard,	\$40.00	
W. N. Thompson,	62.50	
	<hr/>	\$102.50

SCHOOLS AND SUPPLIES.

C. F. Wilson,	\$1,827.67
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REPAIRING TOWN BUILDINGS.

Repairing No. 2 Engine House,	\$27.04	
Repairing No. 4 School House,	409.78	
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	\$436.82	
Credit by old lumber,	4.00	
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	\$432.82	
Repairing No. 2 School House,	.50	
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		\$433.32
G. H. Hardy, ringing bell,	\$50.00	
Public library,	100.00	
Memorial Day,	75.00	
Town note,	700.00	
Interest on town notes,	158.66	
Guide boards,	7.50	
Complaints, warrants for 1898,	15.00	
Express,	1.30	
Wood,	7.50	
Care of town hall,	4.52	
Tramps,	.88	
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		\$1,120.36

TOWN OFFICERS.

W. N. Thompson, selectman from Feb. 15 to March 14, 1899,	\$3.75
E. F. Blanchard, selectman,	74.15
C. L. Russell, selectman,	41.25
H. W. Wilson, selectman from Mar. 14, 1899, to Feb. 15, 1900,	40.75
W. L. Phelps, clerk and treasurer,	65.00
J. A. Wheeler, supervisors,	15.00
J. A. Wheeler, board of health,	11.90
J. E. Taylor, police,	7.00

J. E. Taylor, dog police,	\$5.00	
E. R. Wheeler, police,	3.50	
E. R. Wheeler, dog police,	5.00	
J. H. Spofford, police,	21.60	
Auditors,	6.66	
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		\$300.56
Total town expenditures,		\$8,098.04

The legacy of Betsey Smith for care of cemeteries, amounting to one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00), is deposited in the Massachusetts Hospital Life Insurance Co. We have expended sixty-two dollars and twenty cents (\$62.20).

Center cemetery,	\$30.70	
Old cemetery,	14.00	
Smithville cemetery,	17.50	
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		\$62.20

The unexpended interest in the hands of the selectmen is eighty-five dollars and twenty-seven cents (\$85.27).

The legacy of George H. Hubbard has been invested in a policy of the Massachusetts Hospital Life Insurance Co. The income is to be added to the principal until such time as any money may be needed for the care of the Hubbard lot.

The legacy for the care of the Ezra Webber lot, two hundred dollars (\$200.00), is deposited in the New Ipswich Savings bank. The unexpended interest in the hands of the selectmen is ten dollars and sixty-three cents (\$10.63).

The lecture fund given to the town by Albert Stearns, amounting to three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00), has been invested in a policy of the Massachusetts Life Insurance Co.

E. F. BLANCHARD,	} <i>Selectmen</i>
C. L. RUSSELL,	
H. W. WILSON,	
	<i>of</i>
	} <i>New Ipswich.</i>

REPORT OF OVERSEERS OF POOR.

The following persons have received assistance from the town the past year.

Paid medical attendance for Mrs. George		
Parmenter,		\$39.55
Groceries for the Goen family,	\$25.45	
Medical attendance,	11.50	
For the County,	————	36.95
Simon Rolf, for care of Mr. and Mrs.		
George Rolf,	\$120.00	
Medical attendance,	40.00	
	————	160.00
Mary B. Emery, for board of T. H.		
Perry,		37.00
Groceries, wood and rent for Mary		
J. Hayden,		82.21
Groceries for Cyrus Sanderson,	\$59.12	
Medical attendance,	4.00	
	————	63.12
Arthur Fournier, for board of Bruno		
family,		156.41
Groceries for C. H. Wilkinson,		14.89
Groceries for J. P. Davis,		3.00
Groceries for Mary Gagnon,	\$57.74	
Wood,	9.25	
B. D. Pease, M. D., medical attendance,	11.00	
	————	77.99

Paid Groceries for the Goen family,	\$54.28
Medical attendance for Mrs. M. J. Willard,	<u>.75</u>
Total amount paid on pauper account,	\$726.15
Received from County to Jan. 1, 1900,	\$608.83
Due from County Feb. 15, 1900,	<u>43.00</u>
	<u>651.83</u>
Net cost for the year,	\$74.32

No one has received assistance from the town since June 1, 1899.

E. F. BLANCHARD, }
 C. L. RUSSELL, }
 H. W. WILSON, }
 Overseers
 of the Poor.

New Ipswich, Feb. 15, 1900.

REPORT OF THE ROAD AGENTS.

C. F. Russell,	\$21.00
D. Bruce,	6.00
A. Blood,	7.50
E. M. Bennett,	6.00
J. M. Rafuese,	9.00
George Bowley,	6.00
H. S. Royce,	3.00
C. F. Russell,	76.50
Dixon Wheeler,	24.00
W. N. Thompson,	36.00
J. M. Rafuese,	19.00
George Bowley,	21.00
A. Blood,	24.00
R. L. Lake,	1.10
E. M. Bennett,	22.50
H. S. Royce,	20.55
D. Bruce,	24.75
E. H. Frederick,	11.77
Simon Rolf,	12.00
C. F. Russell,	11.00
A. Blood,	3.00
D. Bruce,	1.50
J. M. Rafuese,	3.00
Simon Rolf,	9.68
E. H. Frederick,	9.07
C. F. Russell,	35.00
H. S. Royce,	4.50

E. M. Bennett,	\$3.75	
A. Blood,	15.75	
Jonas Cowdry,	22.43	
G. C. Blood,	.60	
D. Bruce,	13.50	
J. M. Rafuese, lumber,	6.00	
C. F. Russell,	8.00	
J. C. Chandler, sharpening tools,	1.85	
D. Bruce,	1.00	
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		\$502.06

C. F. RUSSELL,

Road Agent.

W. S. Thayer,	\$54.50	
A. C. Wheeler, bridge plank,	.35	
J. C. Chandler, repairing road machine,	1.00	
F. H. Whittemore,	4.50	
Melvin Whitney,	6.75	
David Rogers,	1.50	
B. T. Larrabee,	1.50	
George Sargent,	1.50	
Frank Hardy,	13.65	
A. L. Balch, bridge plank,	4.40	
E. F. Blanchard,	5.60	
Oliver Surette,	1.15	
W. S. Thayer,	43.40	
A. C. Wheeler,	29.05	
George Cushing,	1.50	
F. H. Whittemore,	11.10	
J. H. Whitney,	6.76	
G. C. Blanchard,	10.05	
George Hildreth,	3.36	
Oliver Surette,	1.50	
George Sargent,	10.42	
F. H. Whittemore,	3.00	
W. S. Thayer,	66.55	

Boards and spikes,	\$1.25	
H. W. Chandler, for spikes,	.69	
E. F. Blanchard,	1.80	
H. S. Royce,	11.50	
G. C. Blanchard,	11.48	
F. H. Whittemore,	21.45	
M. T. Robbins,	4.35	
Charles Wheeler, bridge plank,	17.03	
Charles Wheeler, work on pond,	1.25	
Charles Wheeler, sawing sleepers,	1.50	
J. H. Whitney,	3.34	
A. L. Balch for lumber,	1.40	
Columbian Mfg. Co., use of derrick,	5.00	
A. C. Wheeler,	18.00	
John Humphrey,	2.85	
W. T. Buckman,	1.50	
George Sargent,	2.75	
H. Livingston,	13.75	
Oliver Surette,	5.85	
Unloading derrick,	.50	
A. S. Warren,	2.00	
W. S. Thayer,	14.00	
E. Proctor,	2.70	
Davis Bros. & H. Whitney,	.70	
W. S. Thayer,	7.85	
G. C. Blanchard,	.60	
H. W. Chandler,	3.04	
George Sargent,	.75	
W. T. Buckman,	.75	
	<hr/>	\$458.51

W. S. THAYER,
Road Agent.

Lowell Hill,	\$50.00
George Weston,	18.90
F. W. Prichard and team,	52.00

Two set scraper sections and express,	\$16.60
F. W. Prichard,	16.00
Fred Russell,	19.20
E. R. Wheeler and team,	44.80
W. R. Thompson and team,	5.20
Nelson Deroseau,	8.65
H. J. Moore,	3.75
H. J. Moore, repairing road machine,	.30
Thomas Leedham,	8.70
L. Lambert,	6.00
J. Obear,	5.75
J. Chionard,	13.60
L. W. Newell,	3.00
Melvin Whitney,	3.75
J. E. Aldrich,	2.10
N. O. Whitney,	1.50
F. W. Prichard and team,	14.13
George Weston,	3.00
L. Lambert,	5.25
Charles Wheeler, bridge plank,	12.65
W. L. Phelps, spikes,	.75
Herbert Whitney,	12.86
N. O. Whitney,	11.25
F. W. Prichard,	10.00
H. Whitney, men and team,	19.30
George Ramsdell,	3.00
L. Lambert,	21.85
Frank Bruno, Jr.,	17.55
F. W. Prichard,	7.00
F. W. Prichard, 700 ft. lumber,	5.00
Bourgault,	.30
W. R. Thompson, men and team,	19.15
E. R. Wheeler,	8.00
George Weston,	8.85
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	\$479.89
F. W. PRICHARD,	
<i>Road Agent.</i>	

BILLS SETTLED BY SELECTMEN.

George Weston,	\$5.65	
E. C. Robbins,	5.25	
L. Lambert,	2.10	
H. W. Wilson,	10.27	
F. L. Mansfield,	8.58	
Albert Mansfield,	2.62	
A. S. Warren,	1.65	
Charles Wheeler, bridge plank,	23.68	
N. O. Whitney,	13.90	
	<hr/>	\$74.50

J. Obear,	\$3.00	
P. Bosley,	3.00	
J. E. Taylor,	\$9.00	
Credit by plank sold,	1.00	
	<hr/>	8.00
J. E. Taylor,	3.10	
H. J. Moore,	.37	
H. W. Wilson,	1.35	
	<hr/>	\$18.82

J. E. TAYLOR,
Road Agent.

Total,	<hr/>	\$1,533.78
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BREAKING ROADS.

Feb. 25, C. F. Russell,	\$60.45
George Bowley,	14.25
Waldo Blood,	3.75
Eugene Blood,	11.63
G. C. Blood,	10.20
E. A. Stowell,	6.53
R. L. Lake,	4.89
O. E. Marshall,	4.20
H. F. Sanders,	3.45
H. Fish,	10.57
H. Fish, land damage,	3.00
A. L. Balch,	3.00
C. L. Wilson,	3.23
A. Blood,	9.05
E. M. Bennett,	7.35
H. E. Withington,	3.22
Henry Royce,	17.55
Daniel Bruce,	6.90
E. H. Frederick,	6.64
S. H. Rolf,	12.60
W. A. Preston, Jr.,	4.65
Frank Doolan,	1.60
C. A. Willard,	5.30
E. A. Lawrence,	4.28
A. H. Willard, Jr.,	3.75
C. J. Willard,	3.75
C. F. Prindle,	2.18
E. Beaucham,	3.45
F. E. Hardy,	4.35
H. M. Bennett,	.53
J. M. Burton,	4.65
John Barnett,	4.66
C. F. Jowders,	29.07
A. E. Jowders,	3.45

W. Warner,	\$3.52
P. B. Medcalf,	60.69
Jonas Cowdry,	6.15
H. F. Sanders,	9.45
S. W. Wheeler,	12.23
Delbert Hudson,	28.86
James Blakey,	6.08
S. D. Blood,	2.40
H. M. Lougee,	3.00
Dixon Wheeler,	50.95
W. A. Corbitt,	8.25
L. M. P. Hardy,	1.95
Mary B. Emery, land damage,	2.00
W. H. Rolf,	4.43
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	\$478.09

C. F. RUSSELL,
Road Agent.

George S. Wheeler,	\$28.80
George Cushing,	7.13
John H. Whitney,	11.13
C. L. Whittemore,	4.65
A. C. Wheeler,	37.75
Walter Thayer,	44.67
Marcellus Robbins,	25.55
Charles Wheeler,	40.70
John Whitney,	2.49
F. H. Whittemore,	7.58
C. L. Whittemore,	1.35
Charles Sanderson,	16.51
John Humphrey,	8.47
Daniel Putnam,	.60
A. L. Balch,	.60
Otis Parmenter,	5.90
A. F. Wright,	8.33
Ed. Humphrey,	.90

Melvin Maxwell,	\$5.50
H. W. Chandler,	11.93
E. R. Proctor,	13.05
G. C. Hildreth,	2.75
	<hr/> \$281.35

A. C. WHEELER,
Road Agent.

Frank Bruno, Jr.,	\$5.28
E. M. Hudson,	8.85
L. W. Newell,	22.31
J. Chionard,	3.67
L. Naubear,	1.20
J. Davoll,	3.97
J. Vaillancourt,	2.27
Fred Russell,	4.37
C. A. Stacy,	7.65
C. H. Wilkinson,	1.50
E. E. Petts,	10.50
M. O. Whitney,	11.29
A. S. Warren,	10.42
L. Lambert,	1.58
G. R. Jaquith,	3.00
James Blakey,	6.15
W. R. Thompson,	20.09
F. W. Prichard,	38.64
Thomas Leedham,	.15
Samuel Stone,	4.05
A. F. Mansfield,	3.44
W. E. Preston,	4.08
J. F. Frye,	.45
George Weston,	9.65
J. H. Moore,	9.75
C. M. Wheeler,	2.69
E. C. Robbins,	2.85
S. B. Robbins,	2.70

Will Wallace,	\$2.85
M. B. Whitney,	7.89
Ford Davis,	.90
O. F. Huntoon,	.68
James Brown,	1.50
E. H. Davis,	2.18
W. S. Thayer,	8.16
B. T. Larrabee,	2.10
C. L. Knowlton,	1.35
W. T. Bucknam,	2.22
J. B. Davis,	1.05
C. L. Russell,	3.45
G. C. Ramsdell,	4.30
Frank Conway,	2.95
H. W. Watson,	24.50
G. B. Richardson,	6.15
I. E. Aldrich,	3.45
Charles W. Brown,	10.00
M. L. Sargent,	23.48
F. L. Mansfield,	6.20
H. W. Whitney,	28.85
C. H. Pratt,	3.27
A. R. Tenney,	8.20
N. O. Whitney,	31.05
James Bryant,	9.00
Davis Bros.,	11.21
Gardner Davis,	9.23

 \$418.69

F. W. PRICHARD,
Road Agent.

Total,	\$1,178.13
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REPORT OF AUDITOR.

The auditor, appointed by the town to settle with the selectmen and treasurer, has attended to his duty and submits the following report.

He finds the reports of the selectmen and treasurer correctly cast and properly vouched. The expenses of the town have been as follows:

For state tax,	\$947.75
County tax,	1,233.15
Paupers,	726.15
Breaking roads,	1,178.13
Repairing roads,	1,533.78
Fire department,	403.12
Town officers,	300.56
Collection of taxes,	102.50
Printing and stationery,	54.92
Schools,	1,827.67
Ringling bell,	50.00
Town buildings,	433.32
Street lamps,	227.73
Public library,	100.00
Insurance,	76.75
Tramps,	.88
Ministerial fund,	78.90
Water tubs,	12.00
Reporting births and deaths,	11.00

For recording births, marriages and deaths,	\$11.15
Guide boards,	7.50
Interest,	158.66
Express,	1.30
Complaints, warrants,	15.00
Care town hall,	4.52
Town note,	700.00
Memorial day,	75.00
Wood,	7.50
Total,	<hr/> \$10,278.94

THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE TOWN IS AS FOLLOWS:

Cash in the hands of the treasurer,	\$975.85
Due from collector for 1899,	332.36
Net debt,	2,191.79

LIABILITIES OF THE TOWN.

Town notes,	\$3,500.00
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The town has as other liabilities the payment of the annual interest on the Ministerial Fund, which fund amounts to \$1,315.68, also payment of annual interest on the School Fund, which amounts to \$1,351.62.

J. A. WHEELER,
Auditor.

February 20, 1900.

REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 1, 1900.

Town appropriation,		\$100.00
Paid F. A. Lowe, janitor, services,	\$50.98	
Dixon Wheeler, wood,	23.75	
W. L. Phelps, supplies,	7.65	
H. S. Farrar, repairing furnace,	1.50	
Part of insurance,	16.12	
	<hr/>	\$100.00

Number of books taken out the past year, 4,254.

CAROLINE F. BARR, *President.*

HELEN M. BROOKS, *Clerk and Treasurer.*

LECTURE FUND INCOME.

	DR.	
Interest received, 1899,		\$120.00
	CR.	
Expenses, 1899-1900,		108.45
Balance on hand,		<hr/> \$11.55
	F. W. JONES, W. L. PHELPS, W. R. THOMPSON,	} <i>Lecture Commission.</i>
February 15, 1900.		

VITAL STATISTICS.

In compliance with the laws of this state, requiring clerks of cities and towns to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths for publication in the annual report, I herewith respectfully submit the following report of this town for the year ending Dec. 31st, 1899, which to the best of my knowledge is correct.

WILBUR L. PHELPS,
Town Clerk.

BIRTHS Registered in the Town of New Ipswich,

Date.	Name of Child.	Male or Female.	No. of Child.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
Jan. 7	Marie,	F	6	Leandre Lambert.	Alice Genereux.
" 8	Edward Arthur,	M	2	Delbert Hudson.	Eva M. Keyes.
" 9	Herbert Horton,	M	2	Melvin B. Whitney.	Carrie A. Annable.
" 13	Gerry Winslow,	M	3	John G. Humphrey.	Caroline W. Winslow.
" 20	Ruth Gladys,	F	2	Hollis M. Lougee.	Edith A. Green.
" 22	Leonie Elmina,	F	4	Onesime Moreau.	Clara Ouellette.
Feb. 1	Marie Florilda,	F	3	Servule Charois.	Armeline Beausoleil.
Mar. 14	Rose Blanche,	F	8	Ovide Lamontagne.	Emelie Baillargeon.
" 17	Marie Louise,	F	8	Antoine Chouinard.	Georgiana Duval.
" 19	Marie Clara Emelia,	F	3	Cleophas Caron.	Alphonsine Duval.
" 22	John Milton,	M	3	John M. Burton.	Blanche K. Campbell.
" 24	William Tarbell,	M	2	Walter N. Thompson.	Bessie M. Tarbell.
Apr. 20	Mildred Eva,	F	5	Henry S. Royce.	Georgiana Andrews.
" 22	Lyman Marshall,	M	4	Herbert W. Chandler.	Carrie H. M. Blanchard.
May 21	Joseph Leon Willard,	M	2	Eugene Bruneau.	Olive Baillargeon.
June 6		M	2	Albert S. Warren.	Lizzie Brannun.
" 8	Joseph Servule,	M	3	Joseph Vaillaincourt.	Emma Charois.
" 22	Raymond M.	M	8	James A. Bryant.	Addie M. Parmenter.
" 29	Leon Henry,	M	2	George Fred Hardy.	Caroline I. Blood.
" 29	Edward Francis,	M	4	Isham E. Aldrich.	Maggie E. Fleming.
" 30	Marie Rose Anna,	F	1	Edouard Moreau.	Florilda Caouette.
Aug. 12	Marie Diana,	F	3	Saluste Desrosiers.	Celina Duval.
" 17	Joseph Herbert,	M	5	David Larose.	Emeline Bourgault.
" 27	Chester David,	M	8	Edwin F. Frye.	Ida M. Stiles
" 27	Joseph Henri,	M	1	Narcisse Bruneau.	Amanda Duval.
Sept. 17	Edwin J.	M	1	R. F. Wright.	Nellie J. Kennedy.
" 21	Marie Carine,	F	7	Esdras Duval.	Delphine Fortin.
Oct. 9	Frank Amond,	M	4	George Gagnon.	Mary L. Roberts.
" 15	Louis Amedee,	M	3	Amedee Vaillaincourt.	Angelina Beausoleil.
Nov. 23		M	4	Joseph Silver, Jr.	Abbie R. Willard.
Dec. 3	Eugene C.	M	3	Eugene Porter.	Allie Breco.
" 6	Lempi Armigas,	F	9	Andrew Antilla.	Ida Antilla.

N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1899.

Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
Laborer.	Canada.	Canada.	38	36
Farmer.	Marlboro, Mass.	New Ipswich.	24	24
Farmer.	New Ipswich.	Salem, Mass.	26	23
Farmer.	Lunenburg.	Marblehead, Mass.	26	31
Stage driver.	North Whitefield, Me.	Concord, Mass.	22	20
Weaver.	Canada.	Canada.	31	27
Weaver.	Canada.	Canada.	28	26
Weaver.	Canada.	Canada.	39	33
Laborer.	Canada.	Canada.	36	31
Mill hand.	Canada.	Canada.	29	24
Farmer.	Temple.	Middletown, Pa.	32	27
Storekeeper.	Hiram, Me.	Wilton, N. H.	31	22
Laborer.	Rindge.	Beverly, Mass.	36	34
Storekeeper.	New Ipswich.	New Ipswich.	43	36
Mill hand.	New Ipswich.	Oakdale, Mass.	23	22
Farmer.	Brandon, Vt.	Pepperell, Mass.	47	43
Weaver.	Canada.	Canada.	23	23
Farmer.	Chateaugay, N. Y.	Clinton, N. Y.	39	39
Painter.	New Ipswich.	New Ipswich.	24	22
Farmer.	Fitchburg.	Castlereagh, Ireland.	38	35
Weaver.	Canada.	Canada.	25	19
Mill hand.	Canada.	Canada.	24	26
Farmer.	Northampton, Mass.	Canada.	29	28
Overseer.	Wilton, N. H.	Wilton, N. H.	43	40
Weaver.	New Ipswich.	Canada.	25	20
Livery stable.	Concord, Mass.	Ipswich, Mass.	40	39
Mill hand.	Canada.	Canada.	34	28
Mill hand.	Canada.	New Ipswich.	31	27
Mill hand.	Canada.	Canada.	23	24
Hotel proprietor.	Rockport, Mass.	Ashburnham.	36	34
Mill hand.	Canada.	Keeseville, N. Y.	29	25
Farmer.	Finland, Russia.	Finland, Russia.	46	41

MARRIAGES Registered in the Town of New Ipswich,

Date.	Place of Marriage.	Name of Groom and Bride.	Residence at time of Marriage.	Age.	What Marriage.	Occupation.
Feb. 8	Greenville.	Peter J. LeCourt.	New Ipswich.	29	1st	Butcher.
		Ernestine Lavry.	New Ipswich.	20	1st	Mill hand.
Mar. 11	New Ipswich.	Eugene Robbins.	New Ipswich.	24	1st	Farmer.
		Nellie Patrie.	Baldwinville.	20	1st	Domestic.
Mar. 29	New Ipswich.	George W. Sargent.	New Ipswich.	23	1st	Farmer.
		Mary A. Bucknam.	New Ipswich.	23	1st	
May 29	Greenville.	Joseph Couturier.	Ashburnham.	25	1st	Teamster.
		Rosanna Aubin.	New Ipswich.	25	1st	Mill hand.
June 26	New Ipswich.	Albert S. Warren.	New Ipswich.	47	2d	Farmer.
		Lizzie A. Brannum.	New Ipswich.	43	2d	Housekeeper
Oct. 1	Greenville.	Levi E. Ferrin.	New Ipswich.	63	3d	Farmer.
		Almeda Farwell.	New Ipswich.	54	1st	
Oct. 11	Fitzwilliam.	Charles A. Blood.	New Ipswich.	22	1st	Teamster.
		Lottie A. Thompson.	Fitzwilliam.	23	1st	Domestic.
Oct. 24	Greenville.	Charles S. Wheeler.	New Ipswich.	34	2d	Miller.
		Clara A. Wright.	Townsend.	22	1st	Domestic.
Oct. 29	Greenville.	Hormisdas Beausoleil.	New Ipswich.	22	1st	Mill hand.
		Henedine Lavoie.	New Ipswich.	23	1st	Mill hand.

N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1899.

Place of Birth.	Name of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	By Whom Married.
Mason. Canada.	Joseph LeCourt. Margaret Cherberno. Alfred Lavry. Emma Chouinard.	Canada. St. Albans, Vt. Canada.	T. J. E. Devoy, Catholic Priest, Greenville.
Brookline. State Line.	Edwin C. Robbins. — Patrie.	Nashua. State Line.	G. F. Bradford, Clergyman, New Ipswich.
Worcester, Ms. New Ipswich.	Joseph Sargent. Mary Follen. William T. Bucknam. Maria Simonds.	Worcester. New Ipswich.	G. F. Merriam, Clergyman, Greenville.
East Rindge. Canada.	John Couturier. Phœbe Surprenant. Joseph Aubin. Filamore Carpenthier	Canada. Canada.	T. J. E. Devoy, Catholic Priest, Greenville.
Brandon, Vt. Pepperell, Ms.	Albert S. Warren. Elizabeth Sargent. Henry G. Brannum. Fidelia Keyzer.		William R. Thompson, Clergyman, New Ipswich.
Bridgewater. New Ipswich.	Jonathan Ferrin. Harriet Webster. Russell Farwell. Lucy Taylor.		G. F. Merriam, Clergyman, Greenville.
New Ipswich. New Ipswich.	Albert Blood. Jennie Taylor. Samuel B. Thompson. Charlotte L. Willard.	Groton, Mass. Illinois. Claremont. New Ipswich.	John Colby, Clergyman, Fitzwilliam.
New Ipswich. Townsend.	Charles Wheeler. Nellie Shepard. Charles Wright. Louise J. Burgess.	New Ipswich. Worcester, Mass. Townsend, Mass. Brookline.	G. F. Merriam, Clergyman, Greenville.
Canada. Canada.	Pierre Beausoleil. Lea Robillard. Onesime Lavoie. Josephine Cloutier.	Canada. Canada.	T. J. E. Devoy, Catholic Priest, Greenville.

DEATHS Registered in the Town of New Ipswich,

Date.	Place of Death.	Name of the Deceased.	Age.			Place of Birth.	Sex.	Condition.†
			Years.	Months.	Days.			
*Jan. 6	Keene.	Frank A. Stiles.	26	7		Wilton.	M	S
Jan. 27	New Ipswich.	Sarah K. Bennett.	87	11		Hillsboro.	F	W
" 28	New Ipswich.	Russell Farwell.	85	7	18	Rowe, Mass.	M	W
Feb. 19	New Ipswich.	George E. Wheeler.	56			New Ipswich.	M	S
" 13	Michigan.	Annie G. Hargraves.	56			New Ipswich.	F	M
Mar. 2	Boston.	Benjamin Parker.	66	11	2		M	M
" 21	New Ipswich.	Rose B. Lamontagne.			7	New Ipswich.	F	
" 22	Lynn.	Willie A. Barbour.	26	11			M	
June 26	New Ipswich.	Phoebe G. Marshall.	80	10		Greenfield.	F	W
July 13	New Ipswich.	John S. Taylor.	71	11	8	Ashby, Mass.	M	M
" 21	New Ipswich.	Lydia M. Adams.	80	2	21	Mason.	F	M
" 31	New Ipswich.	Oscar F. Huntoon.	55			Bethlehem.	M	M
Sept. 10	New Ipswich.	Francis W. Prichard.	48	6	27	New Ipswich.	M	M
" 13	Leominster.	Isaac B. Foskett.	75	4	9	Staffordville, Ct	M	W
" 17	New Ipswich.	Nellie J. Wright.	39		23	Ipswich, Mass.	F	M
" 17	New Ipswich.	Edwin J. Wright.				New Ipswich.	M	
Oct. 1	New Ipswich.	Marie Florilda Charois.		8		New Ipswich.	F	
Nov. 8	Charlestown.	Sarah K. Bailey.	68	7	29		F	W
Nov. 26	New Ipswich.	Alfred Taylor.	71		29	Ashby.	M	M
Dec. 3	Rindge.	Elizabeth S. Blake.	84	9	4	Winchendon.	F	W

* 1890.

† Single, married or widowed.

N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1899.

Occupation.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
Bl'ksmith. Farmer. Housewife. Tailor.	Wilton. New Ipswich. Canada.	Hillsboro. New Ipswich. Canada.	David T. Stiles. Capt. Wm. Howard Daniel Farwell. William Wheeler. Joseph Gibson.	Laura Capron. Rhoda Simonds. Susan Estabrook. Elizabeth Wheeler. Miranda Kiblin.
Housek'p'r Farmer. Housewife. Farmer. Farmer. Moulder. Housewife.	Mt. Vernon. Ashby, Mass. Reading. Bethlehem. New Ipswich. Staffordville. England. Concord, Mass. Canada.	Hancock. Hancock. Ashby, Mass. Temple. England. Ipswich, Mass. Canada.	Richard Gould. Davis Taylor. William Newell. — Huntoon. William Prichard. Joseph Foskett. George Kennedy. R. F. Wright. Servule Charois.	Emeline Baillairgeon. Sally Russell. Elizabeth Barker. Betsy E. Hodgman. Lucinda Dutton. Mary Plimpton. Sarah Lord. Nellie J. Kennedy. Armeline Beausoliel.
Carpenter.	Ashby.	Hancock.	Davis Taylor. — Borman.	Elizabeth Barker.

PERMITS FOR CATHOLIC CEMETERY.

Joseph Camire,
Zoe Cloutier,
Jerry F. Riley,
Marie A. Emmond,
Joseph P. Castonguay,
Mary Lavatu,

Lillie Anna Roy,
Joseph Henri Matton,
Marie Dorilda Thibault,
Godeline Dancause,
Adeline Noel,
Joseph Diegle,
Joseph N. Belanger.

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD.

To the Citizens of New Ipswich :

The past year has been one of activity and interest in the schools. The teachers have been earnest, devoted and conscientious in their work, and parents and pupils have generally responded to the effort put forth in their behalf, so that good results have been achieved.

We would especially speak favorably of the instruction that has been given in music. This department has been looked after by Miss Stevenson, who is a careful and competent instructor. Her work has generally been seconded by the teachers, and appreciated by both parents and pupils, so that very marked progress has been made. As an educative and refining factor in school and home life, this is one of the most important branches of instruction in our schools.

We would recommend some needed repairs on school-house No. 1. In order to have the best results for money expended, we should make our school-rooms as comfortable and homelike as possible.

It is with regret that we speak of the vacancy on the school board, caused by the death of Mr. Francis W. Prichard. His connection with the affairs of the town, and especially the schools, has always been characterized by an interested earnestness in the faithful discharge of duties committed to his trust. His interest did not abate so long as he could attend to these duties. We realize more than we can express that we have lost an able co-laborer, and the town a worthy citizen.

It is important that we should all remember the true sense in which the influence of the schools should enter into the education of the young. Their work is to give instruction. We must distinguish between instruction and education. A famous educator has said:—"Instruction is the least part of education." The education that shapes the child for his duties as a citizen and as a man is mainly that which he gains from the influences of the home, associates and the community to which he belongs. If these be good, the instruction of the school can confirm and add to them; but if they are bad, the school can do little or nothing to counteract them. The direct influence which has the most to do with preparing the child to become a good and intelligent citizen, is the influence of the home and community.

With kind regards for all, this report is respectfully submitted.

C. F. WILSON,	} <i>School Board</i>
HATTIE P. McKOWN,	
G. F. BRADFORD,	
	<i>of</i>
	} <i>New Ipswich.</i>

ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE.

FOR ONE TERM.

Oscar Blood, Elliott Bosworth, Cora Chandler, Alice Saunders, Beatrice Saunders, Grace Jowders, Wilbur Hale Tenney, Florence Belle Hudson, Martha L. Wilson, Effie Davis, Sadie Davis, Guy Hodgman, Robert Walker, Charlie Buzzell, Edward Robbins, George Chapman, Lida Chapman, Elsie Woodward, Guy Maxwell, George Pratt, Anabel Cora Bolton, N. Alberta Taylor, Ida May Frye, Stella Fournier, Grace Aldrich, Willie Aldrich, Theophilus Lamontagne.

FOR TWO TERMS.

Mary J. H. Wilson, Wallace O. Tenney, Alice Tenney, D. Henry Wilson, Hattie Davis, Lena Walker, Anna A. Woodward, Mabel Woodward, William Seward, John Moore.

FOR THREE TERMS.

Hattie Tenney, Frank Russell.

TABLE.

SHOWING TEACHERS, SCHOOLS, ATTENDANCE, ETC.

No. of School.	Term.	TEACHERS.	No. of Weeks.	Wages per Month.	No. of Pupils.	Average No. Belonging.	Average Attendance.	Percentage of Attendance.	Pupils Not Absent.	Visits by Com. and others.
1	1	E. Josephine Marston...	12	\$ 32	23	19	17	.8947	1	15
	2	E. Josephine Marston...	11	32	17	16	13	.8125	1	9
	3	E. Josephine Marston...	12	32	25	19	17	.8947	1	27
2	1	M. Edith Cole.....	12	26	15	12	12	100	10	19
	2	M. Edith Cole.....	11.8	26	13	12	11	.9166	7	16
	3	Violet L. Wort.....	10.4	26	11	11	10	.9090	7	21
4	1	Winifred E. Robbins.....	12	32	27	25	23	.9200	7	31
	2	Winifred E. Robbins.....	11	32	14	13	10	.7700	1	20
	3	Winifred E. Robbins.....	12	32	23	22	20	.9000	6	42
5	1	Edith L. Robbins.....	12	32	22	17	14	.8235	5	14
	2	Anna E. Godding.....	12	32	20	17	15	.8823	4	12
	3	Alice H. Eberhart.....	11	32	25	16	13	.8125	0	48
11	1	Nina E. Kendall.....	11.6	28	16	15.57	14.33 $\frac{1}{2}$.9206	3	15
	2	E. I. Sager.....	10.8	28	12	9.91	9.25	.9334 $\frac{1}{2}$	1	16
	3	Ethel F. Cobb.....	11.6	28	10	10	8.6 $\frac{1}{2}$.8600	3	24
12	1	Grace May Howard.....	11.6	32	36	32	29	.90625	2	18
	2	Grace May Howard.....	10.6	32	40	39	34	.8717	3	16
	3	Grace May Howard.....	11.6	32	32	31	29	.9354	1	32

SCHOOL BOARD TREASURER'S REPORT.

FUEL AND WORK ON SAME.

Paid by F. W. Prichard,	\$60.75	
Charles Russell, wood,	4.50	
Charles Wheeler, wood and preparing		
same,	47.00	
A. L. Balch, wood and preparing same,	29.25	
I. E. Aldrich, kindling wood,	1.50	
	<hr/>	\$143.00

EXPRESS, FREIGHT, POSTAGE, ETC.

Paid by F. W. Prichard,	\$10.00	
Paid by H. Lougee,	1.00	
	<hr/>	\$11.00

SUPPLIES.

Paid by F. W. Prichard,	\$66.79	
Silver, Burdett & Co., music books,	9.60	
B. P. Lamb, clock and bell,	1.65	
E. E. Babb & Co., books,	10.35	
	<hr/>	\$88.39

INSTRUCTION.

Paid by F. W. Prichard,	\$603.75
Miss Osgood, No. 1, 12 weeks,	102.00
Violet Wort, No. 2, 12 weeks,	78.00
Nettie Taylor, No. 3, 12 weeks,	72.00
Miss Gill, No. 4, 12 weeks,	96.00
Miss Francis, No. 5, 12 weeks,	96.00
Miss Francis, winter term,	60.00
Miss Clarke, No. 11, 12 weeks,	84.00

Miss Sager, No. 12, 12 weeks,	\$96.00
William Rolf's boy to Sharon,	20.00
Annie P. Stevenson, music teacher,	43.00
C. E. Sawyer, team for music teacher,	15.25
A. C. Wheeler, feeding horse, music teacher,	4.25
	<hr/> \$1,370.25

SALARY OF SCHOOL BOARD.

C. F. Wilson,	\$40.00
H. P. McKown,	30.00
George F. Bradford,	15.00
F. W. Prichard,	15.00
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	\$100.00

LABOR AND REPAIRS.

Paid F. W. Prichard,	\$29.48
Cleaning school-houses,	8.58
J. N. Wilkinson and Nutting, labor, No. 1,	6.73
George Weston, labor,	3.50
Labor and small repairs,	17.17
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	\$65.46

TRUANT OFFICER.

H. J. Moore,	\$4.40
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JANITORS.

Paid by F. W. Prichard,	\$16.25
Oscar Blood, No. 1,	3.00
Violet Wort, No. 2,	2.00
Walter Rafuese, No. 2,	2.00
Nettie Taylor, No. 3,	2.60
Robert Walker, No. 4,	2.00
A. Hanks, No. 4,	1.25
Anna Woodward, No. 5,	4.00
E. Seward, No. 11,	3.00
Lamontagne, No. 12,	3.60
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	\$39.70

RECEIPTS.

Balance from F. W. Prichard,	\$9.60
Cash on town orders,	1,025.00
Received for supplies,	.35
Trustees of Spalding fund,	392.87
Dog licenses, 1898,	147.97
School fund,	81.09
Literary fund,	98.61
	—————\$1,755.49

EXPENDITURES.

Fuel and work on same,	\$143.00
Express, freight, postage, etc.,	11.00
Supplies,	88.39
Transportation,	43.50
Labor and repairs,	65.46
Truant officer,	4.40
Instruction,	1,370.25
Janitors,	39.70
School board,	100.00
Cash overdrawn,	25.00
	—————\$1,890.73
Balance on hand,	662.21
	—————
	\$2,556.94

Prize money not earned, \$3.00.

The auditor appointed to examine the accounts of the school board treasurer, has attended to his duty, and finds the accounts correctly cast and vouchers for the same.

J. A. WHEELER,
Auditor.

SPALDING SCHOOL FUND COMMITTEE.

The munificent bequest from Mr. Isaac Spalding to the public schools of New Ipswich, is in charge of and invested by a committee of three. According to a clause of his will, this committee shall consist of not less than three members, and shall be chosen annually at the regular town meeting.

The selectmen of New Ipswich gave a note, Jan. 26, 1895, for \$6,500, which bears three endorsements, viz.: In 1895, \$1,500; in 1896, \$500; in 1897, \$500.

An investment of \$5,000 was made March 6, 1895, in the Mass. Hospital Life Insurance Co. of Boston, Mass.

Deposits have been made in Mason Village Savings Bank, Greenville, N. H., viz.: In 1895, \$500; in 1896, \$500; in 1897, \$500.

SUMMARY.

		Interest 1899.
Mass. Hospital Life Insurance Co.,	\$5,000.00	\$200.00
Town of New Ipswich note,	3,500.00	140.00
Mason Village Savings Bank,	1,500.00	52.87
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	\$10,000.00	\$392.87

The treasurer of the school board has received the above mentioned dividends.

MOSES M. BALCH,
JOSEPH A. WHEELER, } *Spalding*
FREDERIC W. JONES, } *Committee.*

February 5, 1900.

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